Survey of Super Bazar Branches

1699. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have conducted any survey of the Super Bazar's Control Room, Branch Stores, RDCs, Administative offices on the basis of number of employees, excessive load of work and location of the offices/branch stores so that work of the Super Bazar offices could be rationalized;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof in this regard;

(c) whether survey of Super Bazar offices has been completed;

(d) if so, what is the outcome thereof;

(e) whether the South Avenue Branch has less number of employees than its actual strength; and

(f) if so, the reasons therefor and measures taken to complete the staff strength of this branch?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Do not arise.

(e) Super Bazar has reported that in their South Avenue Branch employees have been posted as per the actual strength.

(f) Question does not arise.

Loss of Revenue from Super Bazar

1700. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether due to under assessment of Sales Tax and Excise Duty cases revenue amounting to lakhs of rupees has been lost by Government from the Super Bazar and this has not been brought out by Comptroller and Auditor General in their past reports;

(b) whether Super Bazar played malafide game with public and Government revenue and the same has not been deposited to Government treasury so far;

(c) if so, the details thereof and the amount collected by the Super Bazar on account of sales tax during the last three years, year wise;

(d) the action taken/proposed to be taken by Government to check underway malpractices and public revenue scandal in Super Bazar; and

(e) the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): (a) and (b) No, Sir.

(c) In view of reply to part (a) & (b) above the question or furnishing any details does not arise. The amount of sales tax collected and paid to the Government by the Super Bazar during the last 3 years is as under:—

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Year	Amount
1990-91	80.29
1991-92	120.73
1992-93	150.18

(d) and (e) Do not arise.

Reconstitution of Managing Committee of Super Bazar

1701. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government had recently reconstituted the Managing Committee of the Super Bazar;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) when was the last Managing Committee constituted and whether there are any laid down rules and regulations within the ambit of which the Managing Committee is constituted; if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether the Chairman of the reconstituted Committee is a retired Government servant who is junior in status than some of the other members;

(e) if so, the reasons for his appointment;

(f) the steps taken to place an officer senior than the officials serving in Super Bazar as the head of the Committee; and

(g) the reasons for not associating some of the Members of Legislative Assemblies from Delhi in the Managing Committee, Particularly when there is complete mismanagement and rampant corruption in the Super Bazar?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL SUPPLIES, CONSUMER AFFAIRS AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SHRI H. R. BHARDWAJ): (a) to (c) The Managing Committee of the Super Bazar consists of 15